

1917

# The Russian Revolution

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**The Russian Revolution put  
the Tsar in.....**

**J.A.I.L.**



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**Japan humiliates Russia in**  
**Russo-Japanese War**

**Q: Which cause of revolutions would make the Russian people want to revolt after defeat in the war?**

**Nationalism**

**Unpopular methods of rule**

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## **A lot of military losses in WWI**

**Losing battles - millions dying.**

**Q: Which cause of revolutions would make soldiers want to revolt after large military defeats?**

**Nationalism**

**Unpopular methods of rule**

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## **Incompetence of Tsar Nicholas II**

**Food and fuel shortages - Tsar  
couldn't help**

Q: What cause of revolutions would make  
people want to revolt because of an  
incompetent tsar and food shortages?

**Unpopular methods of rule  
Economic distress**

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**Landless peasants want land**

**Peasants worked land  
they didn't own.**

**Q: What cause of revolutions  
would make landless peasants  
want to revolt?**

**Economic distress**

**Social Injustice**

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# **J.A.I.L.** leads to **Revolution in 1917**

## **Why?**

**Nationalism**

**Unpopular  
Methods of Rule**

**Social Injustice**

**Economic Distress**

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## **Lenin**

**Lenin's party - Bolsheviks**

**Lenin believed - Socialism**

**Lenin promised - PEACE,  
LAND, BREAD**

**Q: What cause of revolutions would make  
Russians want to revolt after Lenin told  
them his new and better ideas?**

**Enlightenment ideas**



# Execution of the Romanov Tsar and Family

- The Russian Imperial Romanov family, including their four daughters and their son and all those who chose to accompany them into exile were shot in Yekaterinburg ON 17 JULY 1918.





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**Russia becomes - USSR**

**Drops out of WWI**

**Lenin's plan =  
New Economic Policy (NEP)**

**some capitalism allowed to  
help economy**

# RISE of COMMUNISM in RUSSIA

- LENIN'S REVOLUTION CALLED THE **BOLSHEVIK REVOLUTION**
- FAILURE OF LENIN'S' NEP-NEW ECONOMIC POLICY
- THE PERSON WHO TOOK LENIN'S PLACE-JOSEPH STALIN-TOOK RUSSIA TO FULL COMMUNISM.

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<b>Ruler</b>	King Louis XVI	Tsar Nicholas II	
<b>Problems with that ruler</b>	weak, incompetent, did not fix economy	weak, incompetent, did not fix economy, WWI	
<b>Class System</b>	Rigid - Estate System	Rigid - Nobles/Peasants	
<b>Overthrown by</b>	the people - 3rd Estate	the people - peasants, workers, Socialists	
<b>Next type of government</b>	democracy	democracy - Provisional Government	
<b>Describe next type of gov't</b>	weak - ineffective	weak - ineffective	
<b>New Leader</b>	Napoleon	Lenin	
<b>How leader came to power</b>	coup d'etat	coup d'etat	
<b>Economy</b>	helped - all pay taxes	helped - NEP - some capitalism	